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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yoshihiro KATO

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ATTN: APPLICATION BRANCH

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FOR: ELECTRODE FOR ELECTRON GUN, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING ELECTRODE FOR ELECTRON GUN, AND ELECTRON GUN ASSEMBLY

**FILING OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(f)**

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Responsive to the notification dated November 6, 2003, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f), Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration.

The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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# DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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As a below named inventor, I declare:

that I verily believe myself to be the original, first and sole (if only one individual inventor is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if more than one individual inventor is listed below) of the invention

ELECTRODE FOR ELECTRON GUN, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING ELECTRODE FOR ELECTRON GUN,  
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the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked.

☒ was filed on August 12, 2003 as United States Application  
or PCT International Application No. 10/638,423, and  
was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information of which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365 (b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 35 U.S.C. 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Priority Claim</u>
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I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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